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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

pplicant : Tarrerias et al.

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BLADE THUS PRODUCED

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Honorable Commissioner of Patents Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

It is respectfully requested that a <u>1</u> month extension of time, until <u>September 26, 2009</u>, be granted in which to respond to the <u>Final Office Action</u> dated <u>May 26, 2009</u>. The statutory fee of <u>\$65.00</u> for the <u>1</u> month extension is attached. Any deficiencies in the extension of time fees may be charged to Deposit Account No. 04-1577.

Respectfully submitted,

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